



### ANNUAL REPORT

OF

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OF THE

## TOWN OF SANBORNTON,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

MARCH FIRST, 1864.

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J. B. BATCHELDER, PRINTER,

1864.

## REPORT.

ANNUAL REPORT

March 11th to cash in the Treasury	\$487	51
Received Railroad tax for 1862-3	430	14
" State bounties	2800	00
" of the State for soldiers families	2565	91
" Literary fund	167	40
" of Ira Woodman fund interest	190	19
Amount of taxes committed to the Collectors	12705	22
Received of D. Prescott tax		56
" of J. W. Shaw tax	3	08
of Jonathan Sanborn 3d back		00
" of C. B. Willis rent on Williams place	29	76
" for W. S. Coopers clothes	15	00
Morrill and Copp for lumber	1	50
" Town of Northfield for spikes	2	88
Borrowed of Minnie J. Leavitt	100	00
" Barker Eastman	500	00
" Chillis Sargent	600	00
" Polly Sargent	600	00
" Lucy M. Hanaford	100	00
" Lydia Colby	130	
" Chase W. Colby	261	00
" John Curry	225	00
" Josiah Piper	300	00
" Chase W. Brown	255	
" N. S. Smith	224	00
" S. S. Hersey	100	00
" S. C. Hanaford	100	00
Daniel Sanborn jr	350	00
" Horace B. Page	35	00
" John Page	200	00
" John H. Varney	200	00
" David Brown	200	00
" J. M. Taylor	150	00
" Joshua Marsh	150	00
" Samuel C. Davis	100	00
" Barker Eastman	200	00
" Samuel Brown	225	00
" David Moulton	300	00

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forrowed of H. G. K. Burley	700 00
J. H. Philbrook	600 00
John B. Batchelder	500 00
Seth S. Thompson	134 00
Oli & G. E. Dustin a mod cwot to state	152 20
Demore Wyatt	288 00
E. F. Smyth	250 00
James Call Chatenoo as serious	800 00
Caroline Mooney	236 00
H. P. Eaton	500 00
E. Colby Land on hird noning	500 00
Mrs. Burden a minella of the contract of	500 00
Wm. P. and J. Hill Loow and	3550 00
Lyman Jackman	300 00
J. March	
Sally D. Huse	800 00
" A. G. L. Hobbs	81 00
M. J. Lougee	81 00
L. M. Hanaford	200 00
J. P. Taylor	679 70
" J. P. Taylor " F. P. Taylor	
" J, S. Robinson	4 = 0 00
" Noah Shute	
Curtis Weeks	400 00
" C. B. Burley	140 00
" N. F. Brown	180 00 550 00
" Elizabeth P. Beekey	
W. F. Glines	200 00
" N. G. Ladd	300 00
" Clark Haines	
1 only 1. Hence	360 00
" E. E. Leavitt	32 58
Received of It. 12. Weeks back the	4 94
I. D. Weeks	1045 66
on williams	2 00
E. W. Smart for rumber	
Borrowed of Fund Treasurer	410 10
	\$43504 07
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Which is accounted for as follows:	

## Paid Outstanding Bills.

I. A. Eastman on division of town and Moore case	\$81	00
A. K. Moore injury to his son and cost	404	83
C. C. Rogers on Griffin case	16	00

Rodgers & Butterfield on Parker case	5 50
Moore case	41 00
Engine men at Sanbornton Bridge	60 52
J. C. Silver care of town house	3 00
A. W. Brown Selectmens board and horse keeping	6 50
N. F. Wyatt on bridge	33
2. Zylota scrytocs as constant	4 00
E. S. Veazey bridge plank	13 46
J. F. Daniel & Son alphabet	42
Thomas Morrison bridge plank	2 67
B. M. Colby services on Williams place	9 09
J. C. Silver for wood	2 00
C. D. Silver on road	1 50
J. B. Batchelder for report	25 00
J. B. Batchelder for report  E. Chapman on road	2 00
Auditors bill	3 00
Thomas Lyford cash paid in Griffin case	35 00
W. H. Smith services enlisting men	10 00
J. M. Taylor work on town house	1 00
R. C. Rollins for enlisting soldiers	25 00
B. S. Batchelder's estate for collecting tax in 1862	2 00
E. E. Colbey damage to horse	4 00
P. C. Shaw on bridge in 1861	
- 12 Burlan St. Landon	
18. If. Brown	320 07
Paid on Roads and Bridges.	12 11
Brown and Dearborn for lumber Moses Garland on bridge	252 66
Moses Garland on bridge	12 75
Moses Garland on bridge N. F. Wyatt do. do.	3 00
K. Gray do. do.	85
E. S. Veasey lumber	11 28
J. D. Rand on bridge	13 00
Charles Ruswell do do	4 50
A. Hanaford do. do. W. P. & J. Hill spikes and nails D. Dockham on bridge	4 00
W. P. & J. Hill spikes and nails	14 52
D. Dockham on bridge	1 50
C. Page do. do.	22 00
B. Cass 2d do. do.	2 50
Warren Wadleigh do. do.	61
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Town of Northfield do. do.	
Town of Northfield do. do.  C. Sargent on road	19 14
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C. W. Brown do. do.	16 40
R. S. Morrison do. do.	
T. Lyford do. do.	29 74
S. G. Hanaford cash paid on road	20 84
Moses Lakeman on road	75
Moses Lakeman on road  E. Keniston do.	20 50
E S Ruswell do	
Sylvester Brown do.	0 00
T. R. Morrison do.	10 72
N. F. Wadleigh lumber for bridge	8 71
John Lakin on bridge	1 66
John Shaw do. I awed guitaladen roog maniboo	1 05
John Crockett on road	50
Charles S. Morrison do.	3 00
A. G. Morrison for plank	4 95
A. G. Morrison for plank Curtis B. Burley on road	3 00
I. T. Colby do. George Woodward do. T. C. Prescott lumber and labor	2 20
George Woodward do.	1 00
T. C. Prescott lumber and labor	28 51
Peter Durley on road	0 10
A. J. Crockett do.	6 00
Samuel C. Davis do.	5 00
J. B. Calef do.	6 00
Wm, Dyer do.	3 75
P. Y. Howland do. J. Calley do.	6 90
J. Calley do.	6 00
C. Emerson do.	2 00
J. B. Osgood do	3 00
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-70 02 20 on from Trengment Pour an inmit	\$613 71
Paid Current Expenses. C. C. Rodgers S. S. Committee	
and outlette Haponson	W popular !
U. C. Rodgers S. S. Committee	25 50
T. D. Mason do.	48 00
E. D. Weeks (lo.	39 00
N. G. Ladd in small pox case Clarra Rodgers nurse in small pox case	99 00
Clarra Rodgers nurse in small pox case	35 00
Lamy Lane damage in small pox case	40 00
State tax	1765 80
	1346 91
B. W. Sanborn & Co. for stationery and books	13 75
S. G. Hanaford stationery and stamps	8 65
J. C. Moulton do. Peter Copp services as constable	1 00
Peter Copp services as constable	4 00
T. Lyford do.	2 00
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Wm. Taylor and son tax refunded N. F. Wyatt tax refunded	3	72
N. F. Wyatt tax refunded was the language and the languag	1	00
J. M. Taylor notifying town officers	2	00
T F. Clifford watching fire by order of fire wards	1	00
D. W. Smith do,	1	00
D. M. Philbrook do.	1	00
C. E. Edgerly do.	. 1	00
A. Barnes for refreshments at the fire	25	00
J. B. Batchelder for posters for S. S. Committee	2	00
Wm. S. Woodman perambulating town lines	5	00
J. M. Clough stationery		30
A. Barnes Selectmen's board and horse keeping	2	75
Carr Huse for surveying road	2	00
Putnam Batchelder land damage	50	00
James E. Knox do.		
Jere Weeks	20	00
C.W. Colby Todal bas reduced terrent		
Insurance assessment on town buildings		
M. H. Smith for refreshments by order of fire ward	ls 9	25
A. Barnes collector of taxes		
N. M. Weeks do.		
A. Burley do.		
S.G. Hanaford Selectmen's board and lorse keepin	g 2	00
A. W. Brown do. do.		
	40	
Ira Woodman as Selecman	85	00
on roads and bridges		
Horse and expenses out of town	10	
Ira Woodman as fund Treasurer	20	
Hiring money and paying soldiers families	5	
Chase W. Colby as Selectman	64	
" on roads and bridges	13	00
" horse and wagon and expenses		
out of town, hiring money	200	WE.
and paying soldiers families.		00
S. G. Hanaford as Selectman	82	100
on roads and bridges	20	00
noise and wagon and expenses	1014	
out of town	15	00
miring money and paying soldiers	40	0.0
families	10	00
Ruben Philbrook for refreshments by order of	1	0
fire wards	- 2	00

### RECAPITULATION.

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The whole amount of money received by the for the year ending March 1, 1864, \$43504	e Selectmen 4 07.
Amount of outstanding bills	\$820 07
Roads and bridges	
Current expenses	4100 80
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Overseer of the poor	877 24
Paid on notes due from the town	11313 39
A hotomont of tomes	216 94
73-17-1 6 71 6 71	2813 30
Soldiers bounty	19288 98 1175 00
Cash in the Treasury	1175 00
Taxes uncollected	391 14
ere Gray 200 00	\$43504 07
Respectfully submitted. Wolfol cand	
IRA WOODMAN, CHASE W. COLBY, SAMUEL G. HANAFORD.	
The undersigned have carefully examined to accounts and find them correctly east any vouched, but in carrying over the footing, a two dollars was found.	nd properly
JOSIAH H. PHILBRICK,	Anditons

JOSIAH H. PHILBRICK, J. S. TAYLOR, SIMON R. MORRISON. Auditor

### Debts Due from the Town

Debts Due Hom the Lown.		
Note of Mary Hoit	\$248	00
Janet Wadleigh		
William H. Sanders		
Janet Wadleigh		
James B. Abbett		
Fund Treasurer Apidlan W storm		
J. M. Taylor		
W. and G. W. J. Taylor	300	00
William Taylor	200	00
Chase W. Colby	100	00
J. M. Shirley	300	00
Fund Treasurer	200	00
Sarah Glines odesiles valellid goi	300	00
S. C. Robinson Com and Richbon and		
W. and T. W. Perkins	300	00

Note of David Moulton	400	00
Almira Aldell	125	
Thomas Curry	853	
Samuel Taylor	200	
N. T. Smith		00
Fund Treasurer	57	
Mary P. Chase	150	100
Gideon Piper	300	
M. E. and T. B. Hodgdon	300	
D. M. Huse	500	
C. C. Taylor	100	
Gideon Piper	50	1 3 3
Ede Taylor	100	100
Curtis Weeks	104	
C. W. Colby	101	-
Robert Gray	200	
William Taylor	150	
David Moulton	200	
Eben Eastman		00
Dearborn Taylor	150	
J. B. Batchelder	1000	
L. M. Hanaford	100	00
B. J. Sanborn	1000	00
Ruama Copp	200	00
J. L. Keasor	800	00
Deaborn Taylor	200	
G. O. Boynton	300	00
Dearborn Taylor	250	00
P. L. Young	800	
David Moulton	100	00
S. C. Robinson	200	00-
Josiah Piper	400	00
Joshua Marsh	- 400	00
Chase W. Brown	200	00
J. B. Batchelder	300	00
Jannett Wadleigh	80	00
Phebe Sanborn	250	00
Fund Treasurer	977	83
Lucy M. Hanaford	100	00
Josiah Piper	250	00
Borrowed to pay volunteers and drafted men-		98
Interest on notes	2500	00
Outstanding bills by estimate		00
Still due the soldiers by note	6603	15
00 008		-

### Claims due the Town.

Due from the State as State aid Eight shares of B. C. & M. Railroad stock J. T. Durgin back tax Due from the United States volunteers bounty Cash in the Treasury Taxes uncollected	\$2167 \$ 80 6 21 6 8500 0 1175 6 591 1	00
Leaving a balance against the town of  IRA WOODMAN, CHASE W. COLBY,	\$12344 4 31798 1 Selectment of anbornton	.5 1

### REPORT

OF THE

OVERSEER OF THE POOR,

OF THE

### TOWN OF SANBORNTON!

For the Year Ending March 1, 1864.

Received	of Belknap County for paupers	\$258	67
66	Town of Jefferson for Hicks family	92	25.
66	Town of Hill for Jacob Teney	43	06
66	C. W. Colby for Jonathan Bean	76	00
6.6	State aid for Hicks family	48	00
66.	Mr. Gray	11	00:
Amount o	lrawn from Treasury	877	34
		<b>\$1406</b>	32:

Which is accounted for as follows:

### Paid External Poor Bills.

Paid T. C. Prescott for Eunice Lakin	\$26,00
C. C. Rogers for taking affidavits	3 00
J. E. Odlin for book and stationery	2.65
F. B. Jenness for Mrs. Call	23 00
Dr. C. B. Willis do. do.	7. 104
Adams & Flanders do. do.	2 21
C. Page for coffin and robe do. do.	7 80 = 7 = 100

Paid A. Barnes for teams at funeral do. do.	4	25
J. Silver for digging grave do. do.		50
G. Woodward do. do. do.	1	50
J. P. Boodey for examining records		50
City of Manchester for Mrs. McClarry	11	00
W. S. Woodman for H. Chapman		12
R. K. Parker do. do.	4	38
J. S. Wallis	.8	00
I. Woodman for J. Teney	.3	00
Expense moving J. Teney to N. H. Asylum		
for the Insane	:6	75
New Hampshire Asylum for J. Teney	.93	86
Folsom & Smith for Hicks family	6	00
R. K. Parker do. do.	11	67
B. T. Sanborn do. do.	1	25
Expense moving do. do.	6	00
Pitman & Tilton	1	68
Hicks boys	3	00
J. M. Clough for Gilman girl	15	95
Parker & Brother do.	2	00
E. F. Odell do. do	1	25
J. H. Tilton do do.	3	83
Dr. J. B. Abbott do. do.	-3	75
" for Mr. Chapman	1	00
for J. L Merrill	8	50
Sweat & Chase " "	.5	00
H. K. Thompson for coffin for Merrill child	4	00
Page child	5	75
Dr. S. B. Kelley for B. Page	.18	
E. D. Weeks do. do.		00
Sweat & Chase do do.		97
.B. Calley for Tucat family in 1861	2	83
T. W. Call for Mrs Calley in 1862	19	13
Town clerk of Audover for certifficates	1	
Town Clerk of Hill "		25
B. H. Smith for J. Somes		75
Ira Woodman do.	4	00
W. S. Woodmando		00
T. C. Thompson for Mary Somes	24	
Town of Gilford for Andrew Smith		23
H. J. Odell for J. Bean	3	
J. Bean for do.		()()
Taylor & Hill for J. Sanders		50
O. Beaman do.		50
C. W. Colby do.	3	
B. Robert for Farnham girl	-20	(11)

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Paid John McCartney for J. H. Hill	10	00
W. S. Woodman for Mary Sanborn	4	00
E. Veazey do. do.		:
M. A. Gould for John Gould	.52	00
S. G. Hanaford for pauper		50
J. M Taylor for taking depositions and certi-	f-	
icates in pauper cases	_	00
E Chase for John Chase	30	
A A Elliott for Alfred Langley		00
J R Hanaford for Hannah Bean		00
W S Woodman for Hannah Chapman		00
Dr B Lyford for Avery girl		00
L H Clough "		30
Postage and revenue stamps		50
W S Woodman Overseer of Poor		00
" horse, carriage and expense	52-7	50
	\$694	44
Alms House.		
Paid for provisions and other necessaries at the		
alms house	\$484	78
David Brown superintendent	200	00
Support of preaching	5	00
Medical attendance	22	00
	8711	88
RECAPITULATION.		
Amount drawn from treasury	\$877	34
Received from other sources	528	3 98
	<b>\$140</b> 6	5 32
Paid external poor		44
Almhouse	711	88
	81406	3 32

### Respectfully submitted

# WILLIAM S. WOODMAN, OVERSEER OF THE POOR IN SANBORNTON

The undersigned have carefully examined the foregoing account, and find them correctly cost and properly vouched.

IRA WOODMAN, CHASE W. COLBY, S. G. HANAFORD, Sanbornton.

### Claims Due the Town for the Support of Paupers.

Due from county for county paupers \$145 00

### Expenses at the Town Farm

Stocks and provisions on hand March 1st,
1863, \$1229 14
Paid for provisions and other necessaries 484 78
Superintendent 200 00
Support of preaching 5 00
Medical attendance 22 10

\$1941 02

From which deduct stock and provisions on hand March 1, 1864 \$1467 26

Leaving a bill against the almshouse \$473 7

In order to show the actual expense of the Town farm and the support of paupers thereon to the town, the amount received from the county and other sources for the support of persons on said farm should be deducted from the above sum, which amounts to \$182 00

which leaves a bill of \$291 76

Average number of paupers.at the almshouse for the past year 15

Average expense of supporting paupers at the town farm, exclusive of the income of the farm and the amount received from county and other sources for paupers \$19 45

### Invoice of Property at the Town Farm.

4 oxen	\$300	00	1	bushe	el salt		75
4 cows	140	00	3	66	apples	2	00
2 3 year old stee	rs 65	00	4	barrel	lls pork	7.2	00
1 horse	175	00	2	. 22-	beef	30	00
4 shoats	38	00.	2	66.	vinegar	8	00
18 tons hay	234	00	3		cider	9	00
82 bushels corn	109	33	5	66	soap.	20	00
34 " wheat	68	00	1.	68-	flour	9	00

3 bushels beans 7	
4 " peas 6	
250 " potatoes 100	00 20 " tallow 2 50
4 " furnips 1	00 35 " candles 5 83
2 " cheese 1	00 60 " butter 12 00
48 lbs. fresh 6	3 00 2 gallons molasses 1 25
170 " beets meat 12	00 5 " apple sauce 1 50
6 " tea 5	00 3 ounces opium 2 25
4 " tobacco " 2	50 > 5 7 7 7 7 7
6 "sugar 1	00 \$1467 26

### Names and Ages of the paupers at the Town Farm

Males.	Age	Females	Age
Joseph Yeaton	82	Betsy Pike	Age 77
Jonathan Bean	63	Polly Calley	76
Charles Thompson	47	Hannah Marston	55
Daniel T. Sanborn	69	Betsey Elsworth	52
Moses B. G. Pike	38	Susan Leavitt	51
George Smith	5	Charlotte Dalton	38
		Mary Lord	. 35

WILLIAM S. WOODMAN,
Overseer of the Poor,
in Sanbornton.

### REPORT,

### OF THE SUPERINTENDING SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The Superintending School Committee, in compliance with the

law, respectfully submit the following report.

Our teachers as a class, have been faithful in the disc, arge of taelr duties, and have shown themselves worthy of the position they occupied. Whatever particular exceptions there may have been to success, there has been encouraging progress; and in some cases decided adv neement. Although most of our schools are in a prosperons condition, we would remind parents, and friends of education, that they cannot move along alone. Parents should personally be interested in their school affairs, if they would see them flourish. They should thoroughly acquaint themselves with the management of the school; and endeavor to prevent the tardiness and irregularity of their children; and by their presence often at the schoolroom, lend their influence in removing all disorder, and maintaining good discipline. The importance of good discipline in school is obvious to the mind of every teacher. Without it nothing of practical benefit can be accomplished. We are unable to report the schools visited by C. C. Rogers, in consequence of his neglecting to report them.

#### DISTRICT NO. 1.

C. Durgin, Prudential Committee. Miss Josie L. Wadleigh teacher in summer. Visited by C. C. Rogers. No report. Winter term, Otis S. Sanborn teacher. The instruction was of a sound, practical nature; his pupils made thorough progress, and the appearance of the school was good.

T. B. M.

#### DISTRICT NO. 2.

A. Barnes Prudential Committee. Miss Lizzie G. Kimball teacher in Summer. Visited by C. C. Rogers. No report. Winter term taught by Miss Priscilla Sweetser. She simed at thoroughness in study, and a strict discipline; but failed to secure the respect and obedience of her pupils.

T. B. M.

#### DISTRICT NO. 4.

A. Elliott Prudential Committee. Mrs. Horatia A. Hill, teacher both terms. Visited by C. G. Rogers. No report.

#### DISTRICT NO. 5.

Daniel ! Davis Prudential Committee. The Summer, Fall, and Winter terms, were under the care of Miss Sarah P. Comerford. The united interests of the parents, teacher, and scholars, was visible at the close. From the youngest to the oldest: every class and each member thereof, acted their part with credit. We here found the fruits of a well regulated and thoroughly instructed school.

E. D.W.

#### DISTRICT NO. 6.

Hollis K. Thompson Prudential Committee. Miss Nancy of Thompson, was teacher in Stamer. This school was very quiet and or derly. The schoolars made fair progress. Winter term by J. W. Sanders. The teacher tried to do his best, and not without considerable profit to his pupils. Good progress in spelling and arithmetic. This school needs a teacher of more confidence and experience.

#### DISTRICT NO. 7.

E. D. W.

Amos Baker Prudential Committee. Miss Clara A. Clisby teacher, both terms. Visited by C. C. Rogers. No report.

DISTRICT NO. 3.

Daniel Jacobs, Prudential Committee. Miss Annette C. Curry, teacher in summer. Most of her pupils were very ambitious and industrious, and inclined to perform the tasks required of them. Good advancement was made during the term, and everything seemed to combine to promote the general interests of the school. Winter term, David.H. Adams, teacher. This teacher failed to secure good order. The scholars made some progress.

DISTRICT NO. 9.

P. C. Shaw, Prudential Committee. Miss 'Augusta A. Marshall was teacher in summer. Without previous experience, she commenced with that zeal and earnestness which stirs the energy of the pupil, and gives life to the school. The room was still. The scholars were prompt and made good advancement. Winter term by Mr. Cyrus W. Bartiett. Mr. B. is very systematic, and thorough in his teachings: and secures the best of order. The district appreciated his labors, and lengthened the term. E. D. W.

#### DISTRICT NO. 10.

John S. Tilton, Prudential Committee. Fall term only. Miss Annie M. Knox, teacher. The school commenced well. The school-house was burned before the money was expended, thereby preventing a closing examination. From inquiries of the parents, and a knowledge of the teacher's previous success, we have no doubt it was beneficial.

E. D. W.

Kinsley H. Batchelder, Prudential Committee. Summer term, Miss Narcissa' Dearborn, teacher. The room was still, and each pupil attended to the part assigned him. The teacher succeeded in interesting her scholars, though the school was too small, and the scholars too young for great enthusiasm. Good improvement was made. Winter term by Miss Annie M. Kuox. With ability and carnestness she gave good instructions; and managed with much credit. Like former winter terms a large seare of the time was lost by tardnivess, and irregularity in attendance. Those that were prompt, and attended constantly, made thorough and marked progress.

E. D W.

#### DISTRICT NO. 12.

Joshua Sargent, Prudential Committee. Fall term only, Miss Nellie II. Richardson reacher. She was thorough, and endeavored to discharge her duty faithfully; but needed more strength to administer the needful discipline. This school was too small to be beneficial.

E. D. W.

#### DISTRICT NO. 13.

George W. Lane, Prudential Committee. Winter term only, This district was very fortunate in securing the services of Miss Nora Greene. She evinced much skill in conducting the serval recitations, by chaining the attention, at 1 strengthening the pupils self-reliance. The school was characterized by faithful instructions, and diligent and orderly scholars. The advancement was good: the advanced class in Colburn's mental arithmetic excelled. The district lengthened the term.

E. D. W.

### DISTRICT NO. 18.

Tra T. Crockett, Prudentiai Committee. The summer term was under the care of Miss A. R. Tilten. Both instruction and discipline were of the right kind. There was a marked reform in the deportment of the pupils: and satisfactory advancement in the various branches. Winter term by Luther Sargent. He is very easy in his manners, and clear in his explanations; one that is well adapted to teach, and train the youth. Whoeping cough materially injured the advancement of many; but we believe the teacher proved very satisfactory to all.

DISTRICT NO. 16.

Benjamin M. Durgin, Prudential Committee. Miss Lourette M. Lamprey, teacher in summer. Visited by C. C. Rogers. No Report. Winter term, taught by C. Quincy Tirrell. He was prompt, energetic and industrious. The order was good, and everything in and around the school-room, indicated that he was master there. The instruction was of a high order; and the citizens of the district are under great obligations to the teacher for his efforts in behalf of their school.

T. B. M.

#### DISTRICT NO. 17.

Stephen G. Robinson, Pradential Committee. Miss A. A. Cofran, teacher in summer. This teacher tried to do her duty, but was not very efficient. Fall term, taught by Miss Sarah J. Burleigh. The reputation for teaching, which Miss Burleigh had acquired in other districts, was fully sustained here.

T. B. M.

#### DISTRICT NO. 18.

Joseph Lougee, Prudential Committee. Miss Laura Durgin, teacher in summer. Visited by C. C. Rogers. No report. Winter term, taught by Miss Phebe P. Libbey. The Prudential Committee very wisely determined to employ teachers, whose reputation had been such as to warrant a good school. The pupils took great interest in the exercises of the school, and the closing examination proved that the term had been one of great benefit to the district. Let the same course continue to be pursued in employing teachers, and the school will soon become one of the best in town.

T. B. M.

#### DISTRICT NO. 19.

William Burleigh, Prudential Committee. Miss Sarah J. Burleigh teacher in summer. Much improvement has been made in this achool during the three Summer terms it has been under Miss Burleigh's instructions. Winter term taught by Fisher Ames. His method of discipline was good, and his instruction was of the most thorough and substantial nature.

T. B. M.

#### DISTRICT NO. 20.

Charles Knowlton, Prudential Committee. Miss Dorothy E. E. Hill, teacher, both terms. The teacher fully sustained her former reputation as an instructor of schools of this class. Both terms were eminently successful, and much improvement was made. T. B. M.

#### DISTRICT NO. 21.

T. B. Mason, Prudential Committee. Fall term only, Miss A. Ruthena Tilton, teacher. A first class teacher; knows her duty and does it.

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#### DISTRICT NO. 22

N. J. Shute, Prudential Committee. Both terms were taught by Miss Mary E. Taylor. The order was good, and the pupils made satisfactory progress. The teacher's efforts in behalf of the younger portion of the school, was especially worthy of praise. T. B. M.

#### DISTRICT NO. 24.

J. B. Kelley, Prudential Committee. Fall term only, Miss J. Moor, teacher. Several of the scholars that belong in this district attended school in other districts, making the school quite small in this district. Most of the scholars that attended school in this district made fair progress.

T. B. M.

#### DISTRICT NO. 25.

C. H. Lane, Prudential Committee. Fall term only, Miss S. Emily Taylor, teacher. A good school. At the closing examination, it was pleasing to notice the thoroughness and clearness, with which she had given instruction in the first principles of every branch of study in the school.

T. B. M.

#### DISTRICT NO. 28.

J. F. Taylor, Prudential Committee. Miss Clara M. Cate, teacher in summer. Miss Marcia M. Jones, teacher in fall. Visited by C. C. Rogers. No report.

#### DISSRICT NO. 29.

Bela S. Keniston, Prudential Committee. One term only, taught by Miss Carrie Durgin. The appearance of the school was of a very satisfactory nature. The teacher and her pupils were ardently devoted to their duties, and good progress was made in the various branches.

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